THE LAUREL

1951

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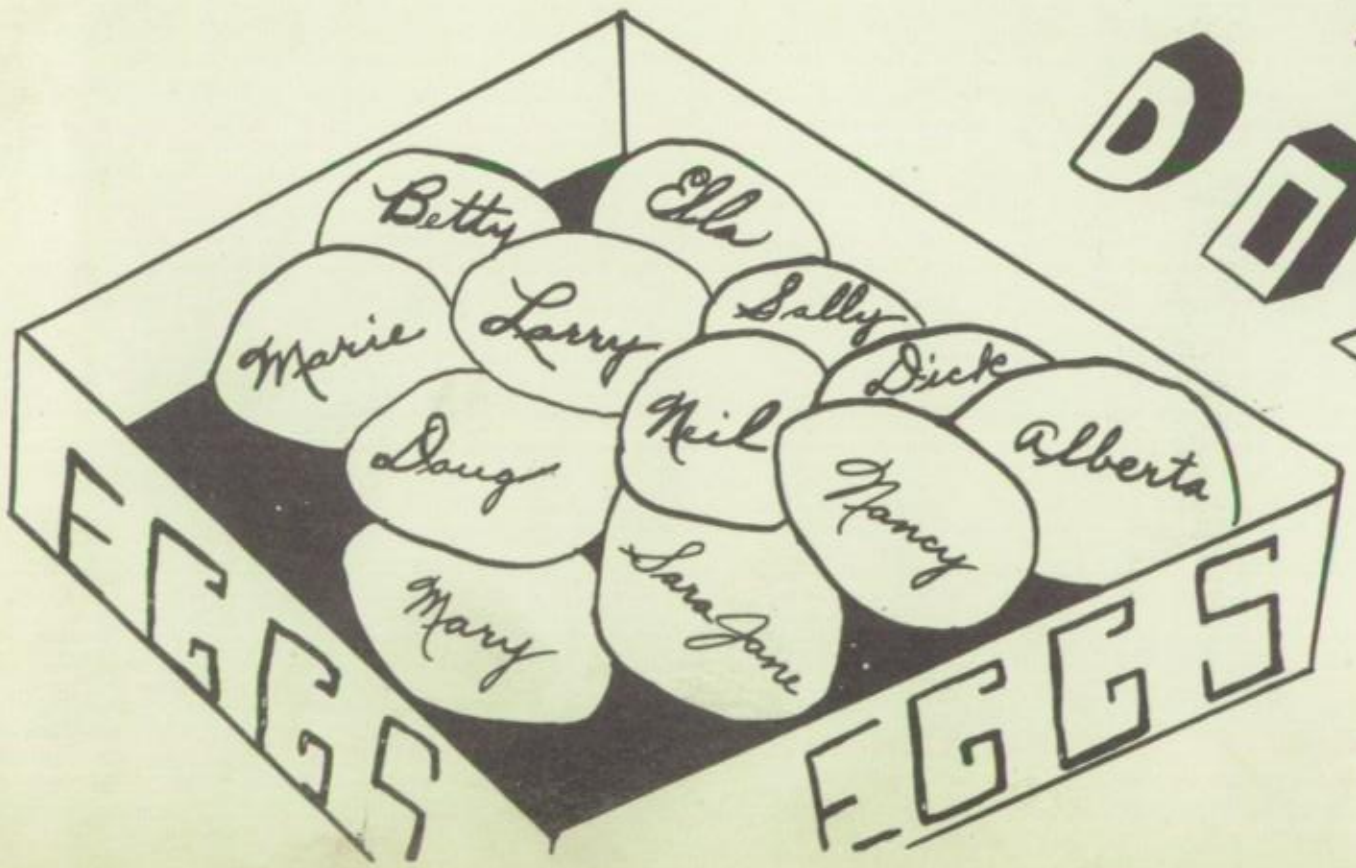

Foreword

In the following pages we have striven to portray the real life of the student and to translate into words the happiness that has accompanied us all through our student days. If by word and by picture we have created in this LAUREL the spirit of the year nineteen hundred and fifty-one so that the happy hours spent here at New Florence High will be preserved in our memories, then the purpose of the staff will have been achieved.

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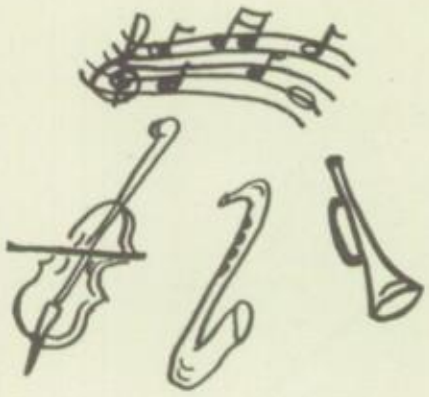
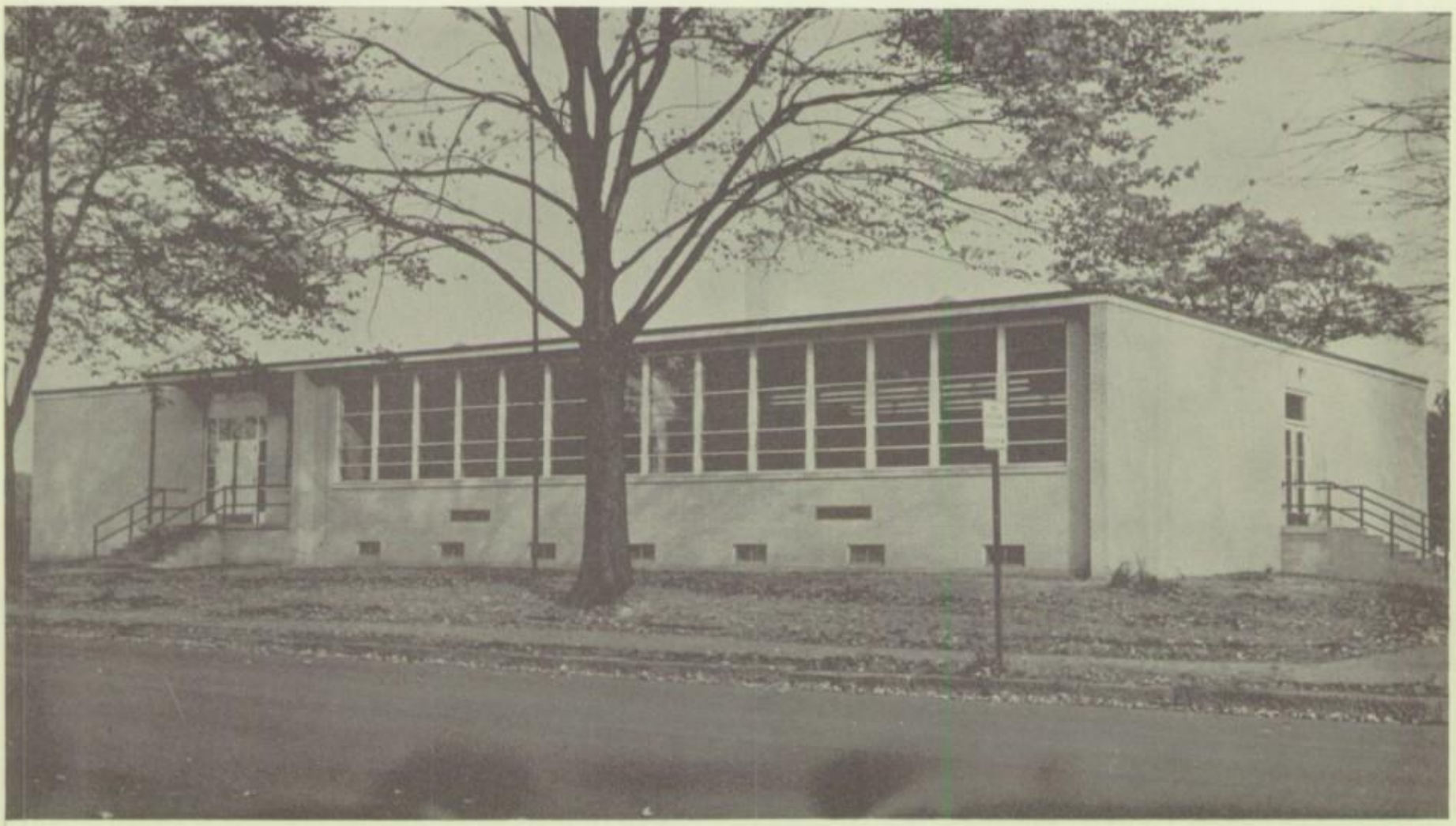




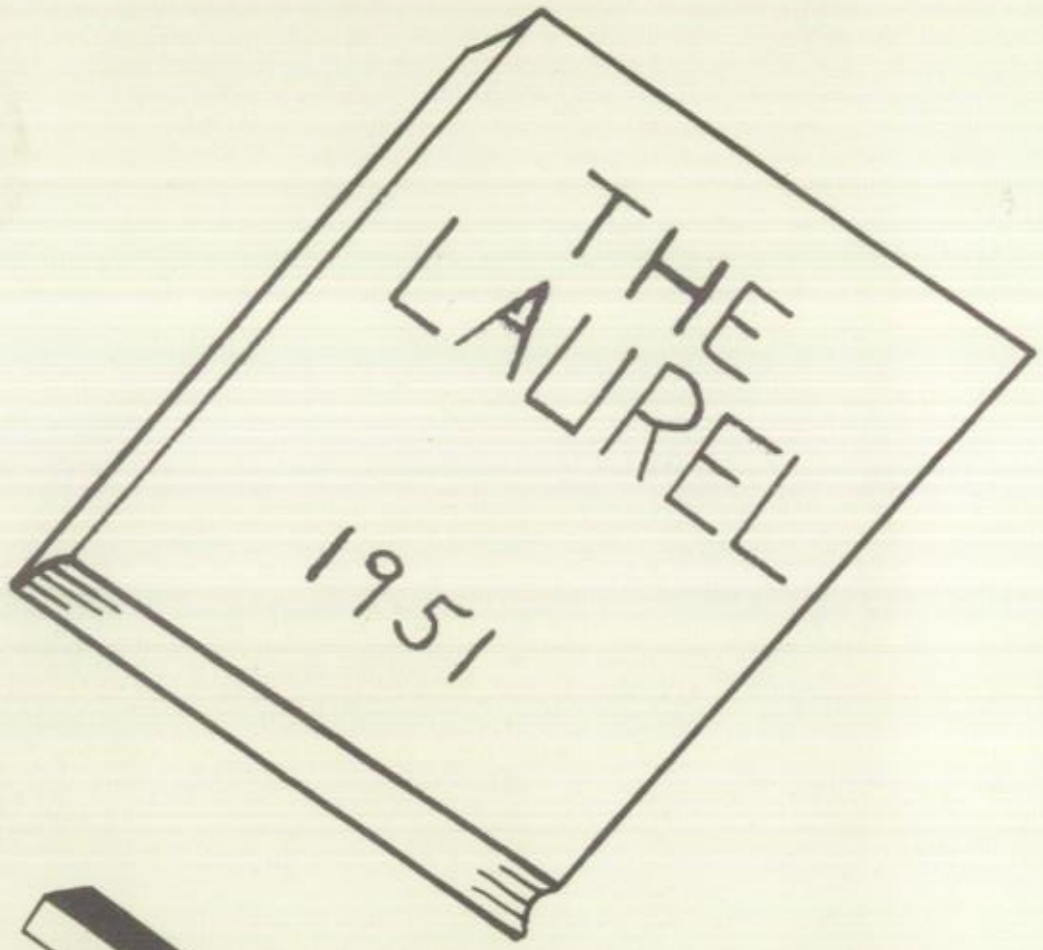
THE NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The construction of the new school building was started in May, 1950. When school opened in September, the contractor had not completed all necessary work, This is a very modern buff brick building with the latest in rest rooms, lighting, woodwork, and flooring.

On September 22, there was great rejoicing on the part of the student body for this was moving day.

The Class of 1951 was the first one to graduate from the new school building.

DEDICATION



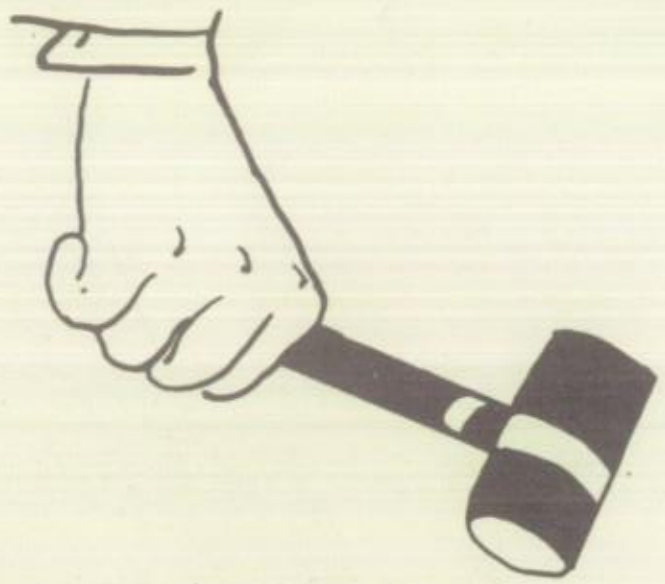
Dedication

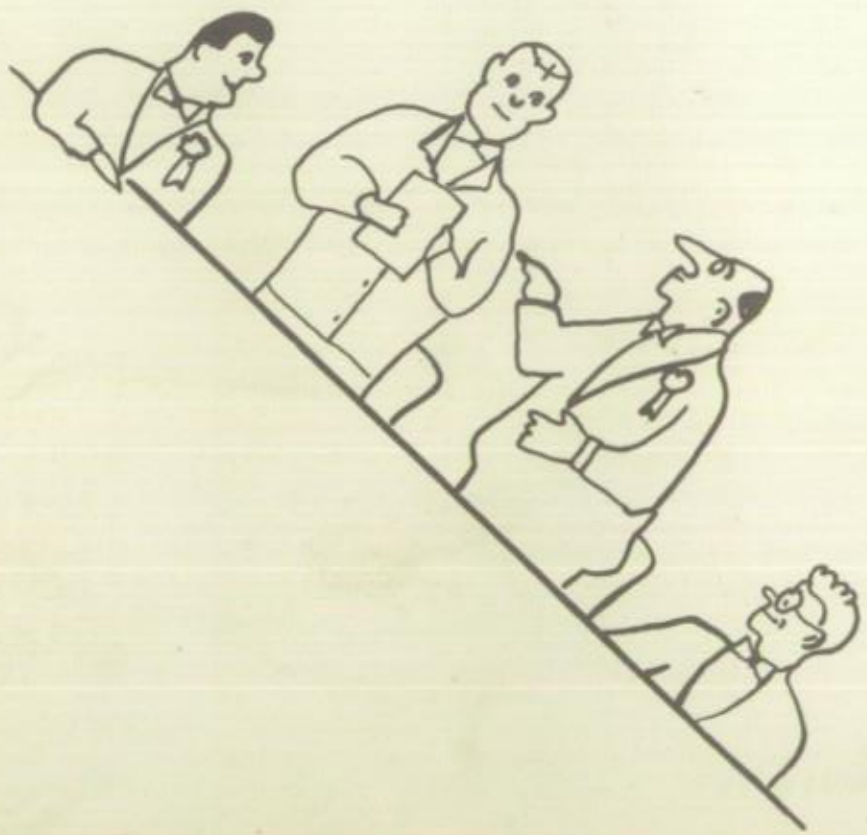
MRS. PEARL MONTGOMERY

We, the Senior Class of 1951, dedicate this sixth annual volume of THE LAUREL to Mrs. Pearl Montgomery, who through her unfailing patience and tireless efforts has guided us wisely and ably during our high school days.

Mrs. Montgomery, our advisor for the past three years, has willing supervised our activities. Her directness and her sincerity have led us to admire and esteem her.

ADMINISTRATION





School Board

LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Michael Super; Mr. Ernest Ziegler, Secretary (non member); Mr. Harry Hepner, Vice-President; Mr. James Hysong; Mr. Gasa Sigmund, President.

ABSENT: Mr. Harry Ruffner; Mr. Ralph Spory.

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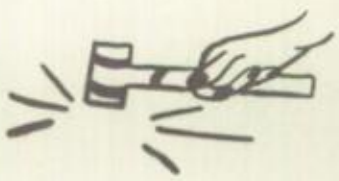
English, Latin.



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Indiana State Teachers College
Geography, History, Art.

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Columbia University
Indiana State Normal School
Mathematics.

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Home Economics, History.

MRS. MILDRED MABON
B. S.
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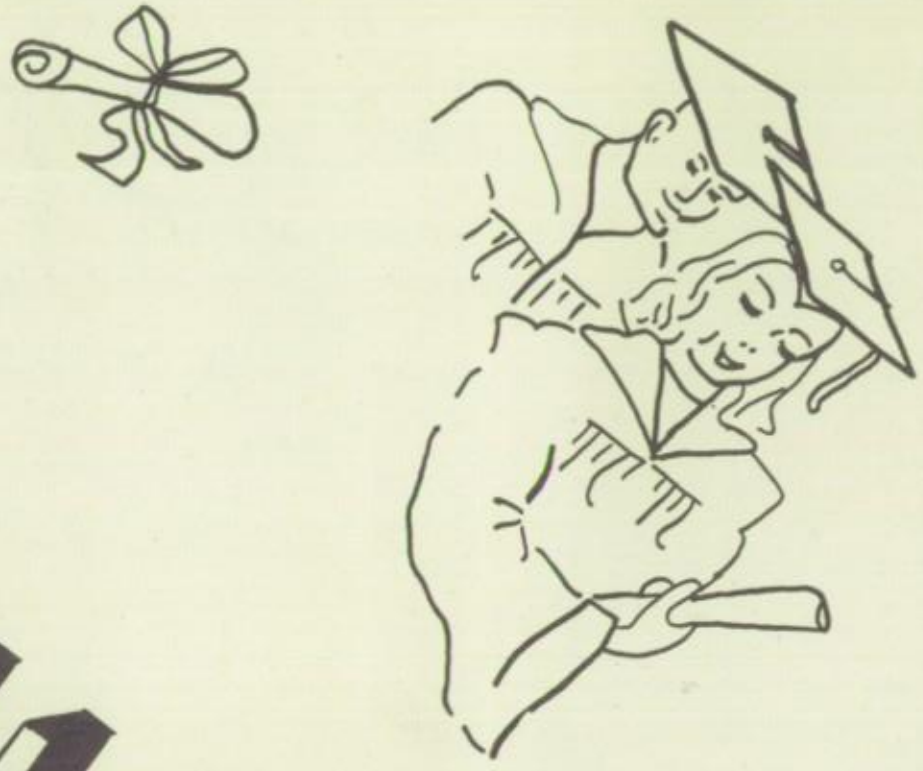
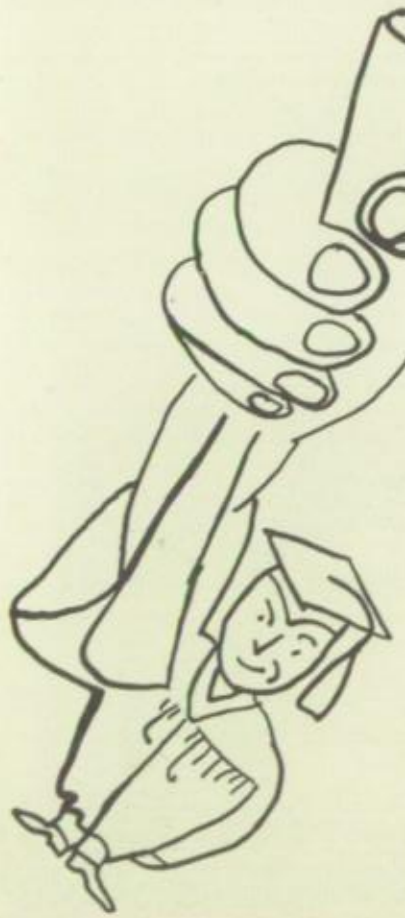
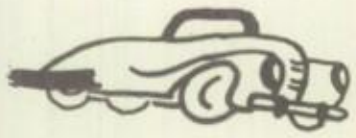
Indiana State Teachers College
Commercial Subjects.

GRADUATES







SALLY TREXLER

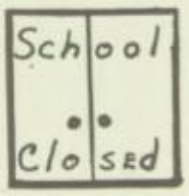
President - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Variety Show - - - - - - - - - 1
Home Economics Club - - - - - 1
Treasurer of Forensic - - - - - 2
Assembly Program - - - - - - 2
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - 1,2,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - 2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - - - 3
Assistant Editor of Laurel - - - 3
Amateur Show - - - - - - - 2,3,4
Forensic Club - - - - - - 1,2,3,4
President of Forensic - - - - 3,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Reporter on Keynoter - - - - 3,4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 3,4
Editor of Laurel - - - - - - - 4

BETTY HEAP

President - - - - - - - - - - 1
Student Council - - - - - - - - 2
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - - - 2,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - - 3
Assembly Program - - - - - - 2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - - - 3
Forensic Club - - - - - - - 1,2,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - - 2,4
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Secretary - - - - - - - - - - 4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

ELLA McADAMS

Treasurer - - - - - - - - - 2,3,4
Variety Show - - - - - - - - - 1
Home Economics Club - - - - 2
Style Show - - - - - - - - - 2
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - - - 3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - 3
Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4



SARA JANE HURST

Variety Show - - - - - - - - 1
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - 1,2,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - 3
Assembly Program - - - - -2,3
Home Economics Club - - - 1,2,3
Amateur Show - - - - - - 2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - 3
Class Play - - - - - - - - 3,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - 4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - 4

DOUG GALBRAITH

Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
V. P. of Varsity Club - - - - -3
President of Varsity Club - - - 4
Varsity Club - - - - - - - - 3,4
Football - - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Class Play - - - - - - - - 3,4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - 4

MARIE PRIBELSKY

Variety Show - - - - - - - - 1
President - - - - - - - - - 2
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - 1,2,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - 3
Assembly Program - - - - -2,3
Home Economics Club - - - 1,2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - 3
Press Club - - - - - - - - 4
Amateur Show - - - - - - 2,3,4
Class Play - - - - - - - - 3,4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - 4

ALBERTA BORING

Vice-President - - - - - - 1,3
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - - - 1,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - 2,3
Variety Show - - - - - - - - - 1
Home Economics Club - - - - 1
Student Council - - - - - - - - 1
Secretary - - - - - - - - - 2
Amateur Show - - - - - - - - 2
Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
Press Club - - - - - - - - 2,3,4
Forensic - - - - - - - - - - 3
Assistant Editor Keynoter - - - 3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - - 3
Cheerleader - - - - - - - - 3,4
Captain of Cheerleaders - - - 4
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 4
Editor of Keynoter - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

LARRY CAVANAUGH

Vice-President - - - - - - - - 2
Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
Football - - - - - - - - 1,2,3,4
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Varsity Club - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Secretary of Varsity Club - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

NANCY ROBB

Home Economics Club - - - - 1,2
Style Show - - - - - - - - - - 2
Forensic Club - - - - - - - - 2
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - 2
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - 1,2,3
Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - - 3
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 3,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

NEIL KILLEN

Assembly Program - - - - - 2,3
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 4
Sports Editor on Keynoter - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

MARY FITZPATRICK

Variety Show - - - - - - - - 1
Girls' Chorus - - - - - - - - 2,3
Mixed Chorus - - - - - - - - - 2,3
Assembly Program - - - - - - 2,3
Pep Club - - - - - - - - - - - 3
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - - - 4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

DICK GALBRAITH

Assembly Program - - - - - - 2,3
Class Play - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Press Club - - - - - - - - - 3,4
Keynoter Staff - - - - - - - - 4
Laurel Staff - - - - - - - - - 4

Last Will and Testament

THE SENIOR CLASS OF ANNO DOMINI ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE
HIGH SCHOOL OF NEW FLORENCE, CITY OF NEW FLORENCE
COUNTY OF WESTMORELAND
AND STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

BE IT REMEMBERED, THAT WE, The Senior Class of one thousand nine hundred fifty-one, single, of the borough of New Florence and surrounding townships, county of Westmoreland, state of Pennsylvania, being of sound mind, memory, and understanding, and realizing the coming event of graduation exercises, do make, publish, and declare this as and for our last will and testament, hereby revoking and nullifying any and all former wills and testaments, or writings in the nature thereof, by us at any time heretofore made.

FIRST: I, Sara Jane Hurst, hereby bequeath unto Nancy Shannon, my intelligence and common sense.

SECOND: I, Lawrence John Cavanaugh, hereby bequeath unto Joe Pribelsky, my extremely dainty feet.

THIRD: I, Mary Josephine Fitzpatrick, hereby bequeath unto Verna Deane Spare, my extremely violent temper.

FOURTH: I, Sally Elaine Trexler, hereby bequeath unto Louise Martin, my small stature.

FIFTH: I, Marie Antoinette Pribelsky, hereby bequeath unto Janet Sigmund, my many tasks at DeWitts.

SIXTH: I, Richard Neil Killen, hereby bequeath unto Henry Horrell, my bag of candy.

SEVENTH: I, James Dick Galbraith, hereby bequeath unto Paul Wallace, my little black book.

EIGHTH: I, Lane Douglas Galbraith, hereby bequeath unto Paul Heap, my curly hair.

NINTH: I, Ella Marie McAdams, hereby bequeath unto Evelyn Cushman, my week-end dates.

TENTH: I, Alberta Elizabeth Boring, hereby bequeath unto Margaret Ann Beard, my neatness and business ability.

ELEVENTH: I, Nancy Ruth Robb, hereby bequeath unto Wanda Kisamore, my red hair.

TWELFTH: I, Betty Jane Heap, hereby bequeath unto Duane Carney, my imagination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have set our hands and seals unto this, our last will and testament, written upon one sheet of paper, this sixteenth day of March, Anno Domini One Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-One.

The Senior Class

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the above named testators, as and for their last will and testament, in the presence of us, who, in their presence, at their request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto affixed our names as attesting witnesses.

Sandra Trimble
Evelyn Cushman

Chart

NAME	WONDERS WHY	SUPPRESSED DESIRE	DREAMS OF	PROBABLY WILL BE
ELLA McADAMS	She can't be six feet tall	To marry a millionaire	Tall blonds	Married to one
BETTY HEAP	Men are so dumb	Have a mink coat	Hawaii	In New Florence
SALLY TREXLER	School is compulsory	Have a yellow convertible	A million dollar wardrobe	Selling dresses
MARY FITZPATRICK	One has to get up so early	To be a secretary	Having a boy friend	A clerk in a 5¢ & 10¢
MARIE PRIBELSKY	People are in such a hurry	To sing with the Met	Dates with Bones	Singing around the house
NANCY ROBB	Winter has to be	To be a hand-model	Faraway places	A housewife
NEIL KILLEN	Just wonders why	To be a millionaire	Being a college graduate	In the Army
SARA HURST	School lasts for twelve years	To have Wednesdays and Thursdays off school	Marrying Gib	Single
DOUG GALBRAITH	Carol is so young	To be a coach	Winning a football title	Married
DICK GALBRAITH	Some people are born with all the looks	To be wealthy	Having servants	A millionaire
LARRY CAVANAUGH	Electricity shocks	To be an Admiral in the Navy	Going to Texas	Swabbing decks
ALBERTA BORING	She wasn't born with money	To be married	Having a beautiful home	An old maid

Class History

September 5, 1947, dawned clear and warm, and eighteen scrubbed faces of the Freshmen (or as we liked to think of it then, "The Seniors of 1951") were bright with excitement. High school at last! That magic word "Seniors" was in sight; barely in sight, but still there. The group included Don Bennett, Larry Cavanaugh, Dick Galbraith, Doug Galbraith, Neil Killen, Clayton Miller, Primo Saltarelli, Charles Ralyea, Doris Atkins, Alberta Boring, Kathryn Fabrizio, Betty Heap, Sara Jane Hurst, Marie Pribelsky, Nancy Robb, Margaret Shannon, Janet Trexler, Sally Trexler, and June Willard.

During our first class meeting, we elected Primo Saltarelli as President of the class, Alberta Boring as Vice-President, Clayton Miller as Secretary, and Doris Atkins as Treasurer. In November, we lost three pupils-Clayton Miller, Primo Saltarelli, and June Willard. This made our total sixteen. In February, Ella McAdams joined our group making us seventeen in all. In April, the grand total became eighteen when Mary Fitzpatrick came into the fold.

The Juniors can probably remember how nice our home room looked at Christmas time. We decorated a big tree and hung pine branches and other decorations throughout the room.

Under the supervision of Miss Ruth Jones the school year passed quickly and pleasantly, and we found ourselves at the mercy of our report cards. Of course, everybody deservingly passed. We left the schoolroom on May 28th, with sad good-byes and promises to carry out summer plans together as much as possible.

In September, 1948, the group flocked back to the old Town Hall. We had advanced another step up the ladder and were Sophomores. Everybody looked at his neighbor and decided that he had grown an inch or two and gained as many pounds.

The group was dwindling slowly; the Sophomore Class numbered only fourteen. Four of our classmates were gone. Doris Atkins, Kathryn Fabrizio, and Don Bennett were now attending other schools. Charles Ralyea had joined the Army.

This year we elected Marie Pribelsky, President and Larry Cavanaugh, Vice-President. Alberta Boring and Ella McAdams were elected Secretary and Treasurer. This was the first year of the Montgomery dynasty, and the luck of the Irish was with us, because we defeated the Juniors in the 1948 magazine campaign. This year passed as happily as the rest, and we gloated just a little over winning the magazine campaign. "Small but mighty," we kept saying to the Juniors.

Soon semester tests were flying around us, and another year was winding up much to our surprise.

On September 5, 1949, the liveliest, most energetic, most ambitious, most . . . . . ., (or so we thought), Junior Class in the New Florence High School history was convening to elect their class officers. Sally Trexler and Alberta Boring were elected President and Vice-President. Janet Trexler and Ella McAdams were elected Secretary and Treasurer. Mrs. Montgomery was the Junior advisor. By now we felt we just couldn't get along without her.

We decided our motto would be "The door to success is labeled push." We selected silver and blue as our colors and chose the white rose as our flower.

Clarence Eisaman was welcomed by the class. Now we had fourteen pupils.

This was a most eventful year. Winning the magazine campaign again and working on the Junior-Senior Prom left no time for idling. In February, we presented the Junior Class play, "Quit Your Kidding."

This year we were just a little involved with Commencement and Baccalaureate exercises, just enough to give us a hint of what was to come next year.

May sneaked upon us just as quietly and swiftly as it had before. All of us said that it couldn't be May already; why it seems as though we just got here.

Fond farewells and many promises hinted that we wouldn't be one big happy family after our Senior year.

On September 5, 1950, the Senior Class of 1951 assembled, not only in the same room of the Town Hall which they had occupied for the past two years, but also with the same teacher, Mrs. Montgomery, whom we had driven to distraction for the past two years. At the first class meeting, we elected our officers: Janet Trexler, President; Sally Trexler, Vice-President; Betty Heap, Secretary; Ella McAdams, Treasurer. After the meeting we showered Mrs. M. with questions about moving into the wonderful new school building. The Class of '51, would be the first to graduate from the new school; such an honor can hardly be overlooked.

Finally on September 22, 1950, we moved to the new building. We settled down to the problem: How to raise money for our trip to Washington.

In October, the class became an even dozen when Janet Trexler left the class. Sally Trexler, the Vice-President, took over the duties of the President.

We decided the Senior play should be the first money-making scheme. "The Daffy Dills" was presented on December 7 and 8, 1950.

On January 27, 1951, we had a bake sale. Next on the agenda, we sold greeting cards and Mrs. M. was pleased with our show of salesmanship. Our next activity was a supper. The mothers of the Seniors and Mrs. Glessner worked very hard to prepare this dinner. The result was a very large cash contribution to our treasury.

Naturally everybody was excited about the trip and of course, we had a few misunderstandings about baggage and tickets; but as the saying goes, "All's well that ends well," and our trip ended very well.

Enjoying the prom was no problem. We loved every minute of the gala evening provided by our friends, the Juniors.

Commencement and Baccalaureate were fast upon the heels of the prom. Soon an even dozen of young people were planning to use their education to the best of their ability.

Senior Prophecy

Once upon a time there was a little family--well a medium-sized family--and they all grew up together. They decided one day to set a date for a reunion. Today's the day.

Twelve--no more, no less--enterprising, ambitious, young people are invited to the famous Blue Room of the Hotel Tub-Mill, owned and operated by Dick Galbraith, the hotel magnate.

As we enter the building, we see Mary Fitzpatrick, Dick's lovely, young hostess for the evening. She smiles graciously and compliments the ladies on their beautiful gowns.

Look! There across the room holding court is Larry Cavanaugh. He just launched his twentieth ship this morning and everybody is congratulating him on his success; he has just been appointed Secretary of the Navy.

That famous coach, Douglas Galbraith, from the University of New Florence has just arrived with his friend Neil Killen, who, it is rumored, has donated a million dollars to a fund for the development of the University of New Florence. The third member of the party is Alberta Boring; of course you've heard about the great success she has had as a hair stylist in Hollywood.

We seem to be well supplied with millionaires--here is Ella McAdams. She once said that her suppressed desire was to be a millionaire and that she would probably marry one, and she did!

This party is going to be a success. Everybody is talking at once and no one seems to mind. All I can hear is, "Do you remember when I. . . .?"

A car--a yellow convertible is pulling up to the curb, and you'll never guess who the speed-ball is that's driving it! None other than Sally Trexler. She seems to have some companions with her. There's Nancy Robb, the famous hand model, and Marie Pribelsky, who sings with the Metropolitan Opera Company. All three girls are wearing stunning gowns designed by Sara Hurst, whose word is absolutely the latest in fashions.

"Dinner is being served," announces the head waiter. The group moves to their table. Everybody is here except Betty Heap. No such luck! Here she comes, mink coat and all, just in from Hawaii.

There's no use loitering around this place. Not a single soul is interested in anybody except the members of the famous "Cheaper by the Dozen" group. No, don't bother to speak, for you won't be heard above the roar of laughter as everybody recalls the hilarious antics of the "good old days."

Senior Calendar

Senior Play - December 7-8, 1950

Senior Supper - March 5, 1951

Junior-Senior Prom - May 4, 1951

Washington Trip - May 17-18, 1951

Last Day for Seniors - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - May 22, 1951

Baccalaureate - May 27, 1951

Commencement -May 29, 1951

Look What We've Got

HAIR - - - - - - - - - - - - Doug Galbraith

EYES - - - - - - - - - - - - Doug Galbraith

EYELASHES - - - - - - - - Marie Pribelsky

NOSE - - - - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring

MOUTH - - - - - - - - - - Dick Galbraith

SMILE - - - - - - - - - - - - Larry Cavanaugh

ACTING ABILITY - - - - - - Sally Trexler

HANDS - - - - - - - - - - - - Nancy Robb

POSTURE - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring

TEETH - - - - - - - - - - - - Marie Pribelsky

DATE BOOK - - - - - - - - - - Dick Galbraith

PERSONALITY - - - - - - - Sally Trexler

COMPLEXION - - - - - - - - - Betty Heap

SWEET DISPOSITION - - - Mary Fitzpatrick

FRIENDLINESS - - - - - - Alberta Boring

MUSICAL ABILITY - - - - - - - Betty Heap

HANDWRITING - - - - - - Mary Fitzpatrick

FINGER NAILS - - - - - - - - Nancy Robb

ART ABILITY - - - - - - - - Sara Jane Hurst

GOOD TASTE - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring

TALLEST - - - - - - - - - Larry Cavanaugh

SHORTEST - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring

MOST TALKATIVE - - - - - - - - Betty Heap

LEAST TALKATIVE - - - - - Mary Fitzpatrick

BEST DRESSED BOY - - - - - - Doug Galbraith

BEST DRESSED GIRL - - - - - Sally Trexler

LAZIEST - - - - - - - - - Larry Cavanaugh

MOST AMBITIOUS - - - - - - - - Neil Killen

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED - - - Neil Killen

GIGGLER - - - - - - - - - - Mary Fitzpatrick

MOST POPULAR - - - - - - - - Sally Trexler

PEPPIEST - - - - - - - - - - Sara Jane Hurst

GIRL'S SMALLEST FEET - - - Ella McAdams

BOY'S BIGGEST FEET - - - - Larry Cavanaugh

MOST HUMOROUS - - - - - - - - Betty Heap

BEST DANCER - - - - - - - - Sally Trexler

BEST SINGER - - - - - - - Marie Pribelsky

BEST SPEAKER - - - - - - - Sally Trexler

MOST IMAGINATIVE - - - - - - - Betty Heap

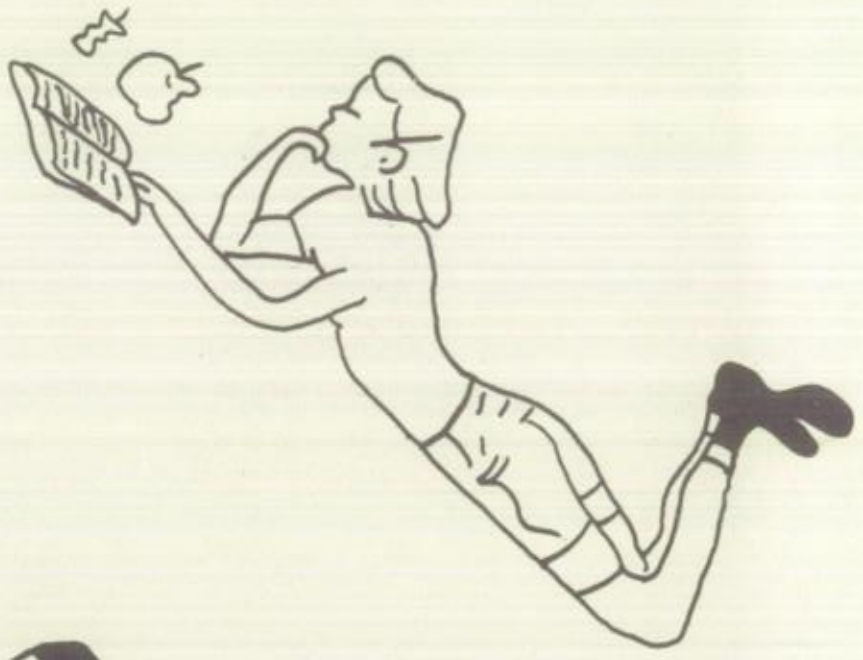
DIMPLES - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring

BEST PAYING JOB - - - - - Ella McAdams

BEST HOUSEKEEPER - - - - - Nancy Robb

NAME	PET EXPRESSIONS	PET PEEVE	DESCRIPTIVE SONG	FAVORITE FOOD	PET JOY	FAVORITE HOBBY	FAVORITE COLOR
NANCY ROBB	"Oh bull"	rainy days	"My Little Redhead"	Baked Ham	Going to Ohio	loafing	Green
ELLA McADAMS	"Aw"	cold weather	"I'm A Big Girl Now"	Potato Salad	Guess What??	working	Red
ALBERTA BORING	"Holy Cow"	Raymond talking like Donald Duck	"Five Foot Two"	Turkey	Wearing high heels	house plans	Green
SARA HURST	"Ain't he cute"	bossy people	"Hellzapoppin"	Fried Potatoes and White Gravy	Gib	playing piano	White
MARIE PRIBELSKY	"I'm sorry"	icy roads	"Them Bones"	French Fries	Bones	working at DeWitts	Blue
MARY FITZPATRICK	"Oh my heavens"	to be unjustly accused	"I'm Bashful"	Anything	Going shopping	reading	Yellow
BETTY HEAP	"Hello George"	people with no sense of humor	"I'm A Little Busy Body"	Oyster Stew	Dates	talking	Blue
SALLY TREXLER	"Suit yourself"	late people	"Alphabet Song"	Steak	Guess Who??	dancing	Blue
DOUG GALBRAITH	"Holy Cow"	naughty women	"Blue Eyes"	Devil's Food Cake	Playing Football	visiting the Drug Store	Blue
LARRY CAVANAUGH	"Aw yea"	nasty girls	"Bell Bottom Trousers"	Hamburgers	Driving	electric motors	Maroon
DICK GALBRAITH	"I won't sleep tonight"	girls	"Don't Fence Me In"	Deer Meat	Eating	hunting	Black
NEIL KILLEN	"Let's take a vote on it"	Sally Trexler	"There'll Be Some Changes Made"	Spaghetti and Meat Balls	Eating candy	sport events	Red

UNDERCLASSMEN



Junior Class

When the school bell rang in September, twenty-five Juniors, chattering gaily about their summer activities, assembled for the first roll call. The admission of three new students, two from Westmont and one from Blairsville, made the Junior Class the second largest in the school; however, they lost five members. When the doors closed in June, there were just ten boys and ten girls.

Becuase the class needed some extra money the group found numerous ways to earn it. Two bake sales, a magazine campaign with the Sophomores, several skating parties, and their class play, Here Come The Brides, provided the extra money needed for the prom.

The fourth of May will be remembered by both the Juniors and the Seniors for it was the date of the prom, a very gala event, with delicious food, gay chatter, beautiful gowns, and sweet music.

President - - - - - - Sandra Trimble

Vice-President - - - -Evelyn Cushman

Secretary - - - - - - - - Nancy Swank

Treasurer - - - - - - Theresa Chesla

FIRST ROW: Left to right-Gladys Boring, Evelyn Cushman, Kathryn Mishler, Lucille Galbraith, Sandra Trimble, Nancy Swank.

SECOND ROW: Pat Robb, Rita Haire, Flora Jean Spare, Janet Heming, Bettie Mishler, Theresa Chesla, Mrs. Goodwin.

THIRD ROW: Duane Carney, Duane Robb, Paul Heap, Tony Fabrizio, Henry Horrell, Phil Rhen.

FOURTH ROW: Charles Heming, Arthur Gable, Franklin McCullough, Dick Betton, Harry Boring, Eugene Heming.

Sophomore Class

The Sophomores were very ambitious, although they numbered nineteen. They were victorious over the Juniors in the magazine campaign. Joan Galbraith won the prize of a pen and pencil set awarded to her for the most sales. They presented the Christmas assembly on December 22, 1950. On January 26, 1951, the class held a skating party at Skateland in order to raise money for their future prom.

Many of the boys-Bill Merritt, Jim Cooke, Allen Keller and Paul Wallace-were football players. Harold Galbraith and Joe Pribelsky were football managers. At forensic tournaments, Patsy Sutter, Margaret Anne Beard, Rosemary Pribelsky, Joanne Miller, Joann Galbraith, Sally Graffius, and Duane Hall upheld the glory of the Sophomores.

President - - - - - Joseph Pribelsky

Vice-President - - - -William Merritt

Secretary - - - - - - - Joann Galbraith

Treasurer - - - - - - - Paul Wallace

FIRST ROW: Left to right-Joanne Miller, Carol Livengood, Harold Galbraith, Nancy Shannon, Margaret Beard, Rosemary Pribelsky, Joe Pribelsky.

SECOND ROW: Mrs. Chisnell, Natalie Igo, Jim Cooke, Joann Galbraith, Lester Rummel, James Ruffner, Theodore Hollen.

THIRD ROW: Patsy Sutter, Paul Wallace, Allen Keeler, Duane Hall, Bill Merritt, Sally Graffius.

President - - - - - Fritz Cunningham

Vice-President - - - - - - Sally Igo

Secretary - - - - - - - Shirley Heap

Treasurer - - - - - - - Pauline Atkins

Freshman Class

The Freshmen boast of the largest class membership, twenty-eight eager students all looking forward to four happy years in the modern new school building. Room three is the Freshman home room and Mr. Davis is the advisor.

One way of making money for their class was a Halloween party at the Town Hall. Refreshments were served and a large profit was earned.

Each member pays fifteen cents a month class dues and just in case there are delinquent students a fine of a nickel is charged.

At the end of the school year as the Freshmen look back on the nine months with their many activities, they will agree that it has been a very profitable and happy year.

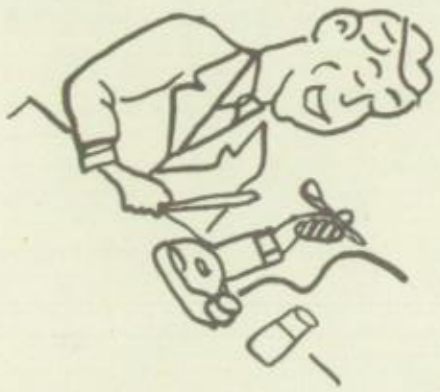
FIRST ROW: Right to left-G. Chesla, N. Flickinger, N. Heming.
SECOND ROW: R. Hollen, L. Martin, P. Atkins, V. D. Spare.
THIRD ROW: W. Kisamore, J. Kim, S. Igo, L. Keith, R. Robinson.
FOURTH ROW: T. Smith, S. Heap, D. Boring, P. Overdorff, L. Boring.
FIFTH ROW: J. Henderson, J. Sigmund, D. Henderson, F. Betton, G. Beal.
SIXTH ROW: J. Boring, B. Boring, V. Heming, D. Ludwig.
STANDING: Mr. Davis, F. Cunningham, E. Ralyea.

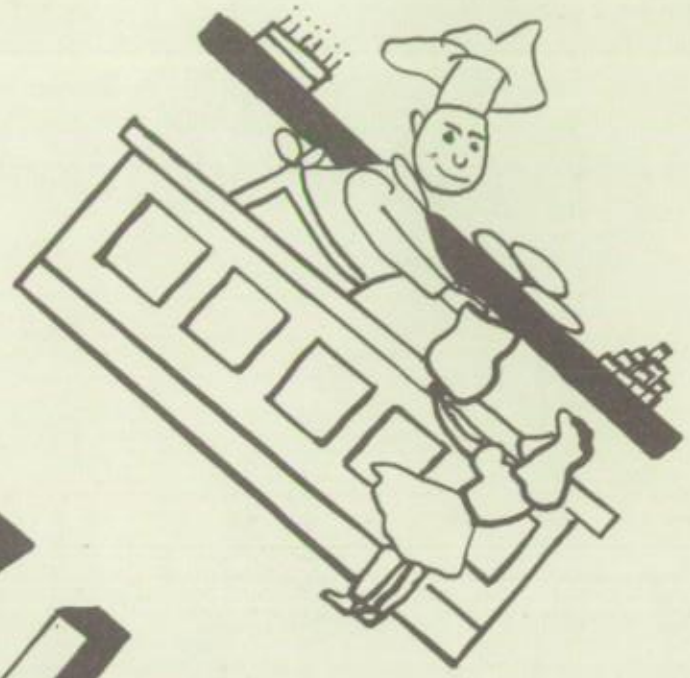
Eighth and Seventh Grades

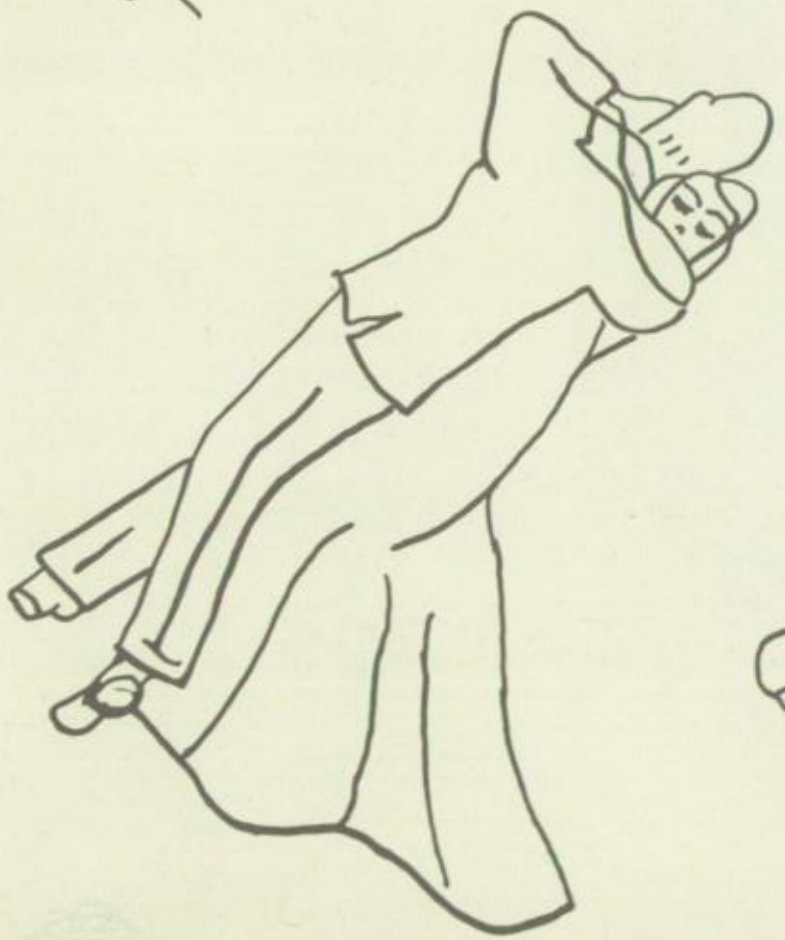
FIRST ROW: Left to right-N. Ellis, D. Haire, R. Snyder, L. Heming.
SECOND ROW: Mrs. Beard, S. Horrell, R. Blattenberger, L. Fortune, N. Hollen.
THIRD ROW: P. Atkins, B. S. Kinzey, N. Heming, R. Thayer, R. Blattenberger, H. Atwell.

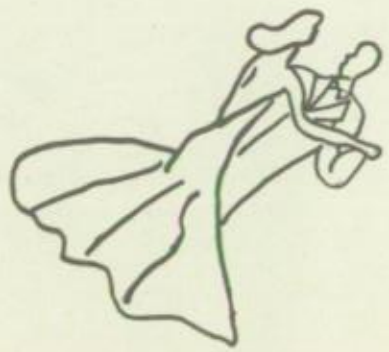
FIRST ROW: Left to right-S. McAdams, R. Pendexter, D. Riendfliesch, H. Riddell, M. Blattenderger, B. Kisamore.
SECOND ROW: Mrs. Beard, B. Snyder, R. O'Shell, J. Bendick, N. Robinson, B. Decker, J. Kinzey.
THIRD ROW: B. J. Houston, W. Sigmund, G. Boring, D. Geary, R. Kirachner, G. Boring.

ACTIVITIES









Laurel Staff

STANDING: Right to left-Sally Trexler, Theresa Chesla, Alberta Boring, Mary Fitzpatrick, Doug Galbraith, Larry Cavanaugh, Ella McAdams, Mrs. Mabon, Mrs. Chisnell, Betty Heap.

SEATED: Left to right-Nancy Robb, Marie Pribelsky, Neil Killen, Dick Galbraith, Sara Jane Hurst.

EDITOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Sally Trexler
ASSISTANT EDITOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Theresa Chesla
BUSINESS MANAGER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Betty Heap
SPORTS EDITOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Neil Killen
PHOTOGRAPHY - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Ella McAdams
ART EDITOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring
CIRCULATION MANAGERS - - - - - - - - - - - Alberta Boring
Mary Fitzpatrick
ADVERTISING EDITORS - - - - - - - - - - - - Larry Cavanaugh
Doug Galbraith
Neil Killen
Dick Galbraith
COPY EDITORS - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Marie Pribelsky
Sara Jane Hurst
Nancy Robb

Keynoter Staff

SEATED: Left to right-Alberta Boring, Sandra Trimble, Gladys Boring, Sara Jane Hurst, Betty Heap, Nancy Robb, Marie Pribelsky.

STANDING: Right to left-Sally Trexler, Duane Carney, Mary Fitzpatrick, Pat Robb, Mrs. Mabon, Mrs. Chisnell, Lucille Galbraith, Theresa Chesla, Joann Galbraith, Carol Livengood, Evelyn Cushman, Neil Killen, Phil Rhen.

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SPORTS EDITOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Neil Killen
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Natalie Igo
Duane Carney
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Dick Galbraith
Sara Jane Hurst
Marie Pribelsky
Nancy Robb
Sally Trexler
Betty Heap
Pat Robb
ADVISOR - Mrs. Chisnell
COM. ADVISOR - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Mrs. Mabon

P. O. D. Class

FIRST ROW: Left to right-Ella McAdams, Betty Heap, Marie Pribelsky.
SECOND ROW: Sara Jane Hurst, Neil Killen, Mary Fitzpatrick.
THIRD ROW: Sally Trexler, Alberta Boring, Doug Galbraith.
FOURTH ROW: Nancy Robb, Larry Cavanaugh, Dick Galbraith.
STANDING: Mrs. Goodwin.

Forensic Club

FIRST ROW: Left to right-front to back-S. Trexler, S. Trimble, J. Miller, R. Haire, V. Spare, S. Graffius.
SECOND ROW: R. Pribelsky, S. Igo, L. Galbraith, J. Sigmund, P. Sutter, Mrs. Chisnell.
THIRD ROW: M. Beard, T. Chesla, L. Keith, L. Martin, J. Galbraith.
FOURTH ROW: W. Kisamore, B. Boring, D. Hall.

Cheerleaders

LEFT TO RIGHT: Sally Igo, Margaret Anne Beard, Evelyn Cushman, Delores Henderson, Alberta Boring.

Chemistry Class

FIRST ROW: Right to left-Neil Killen, Phil Rhen, Henry Horrell, Arthur Gable.
SECOND ROW: Paul Heap, Flora Spare, Larry Cavanaugh, Nancy Swank.
THIRD ROW: Betty Heap, Charles Heming, Duane Robb.
FOURTH ROW: Sally Trexler, Sandra Trimble, Duane Carney.
FIFTH ROW: Doug Galbraith, Evelyn Cushman, Dick Betton.
STANDING: Mr. Super.

Senior Home Ec. Class

STANDING: Left to right-Mary Fitzpatrick, Nancy Shannon, Marie Pribelsky, Sally Graffius, Patsy Sutter, Bettie Mishler, Mrs. Goodwin, Rosemary Pribelsky.

SEATED: Left to right-back-Natalie Igo, Kathryn Mishler, Nancy Robb, Margaret Ann Beard. Extreme front-Janet Heming, Sara Jane Hurst, Alberta Boring, Ella McAdams.

The Senior Home Economics Class under the instruction of Mrs. Goodwin worked on various sewing projects for their first unit. The students made aprons, skirts, weskits, dresses, blouses, and pajamas. After the home economics room was moved to the red brick building, the girls helped to clean and to decorate their new quarters. During January, they altered dresses, straightened hems, and sewed buttons on clothes which they brought from home.

On January 29, they started on spring and summer clothes and produced many beautiful sunback dresses, play suits, and shorts. Several of the girls made beautiful gowns which they wore to the Junior-Senior Prom.

The preparation of salads was the main project of their food unit. The class had several parties which were enjoyable occasions.

Seventh and Eighth Grades Home Ec.

STANDING: Left to right-N. Heming, D. Geary, G. Boring, Mrs. Goodwin, B. J. Houston.
SEATED: Back-S. Horrell, S. McAdams, P. Atkins, L. Fortune, Extreme front-G. Boring, N. Robinson, B. Kisamore, M. Blattenderger, B. S. Kinzey, N. Ellis.

Ninth Grade Home Ec.

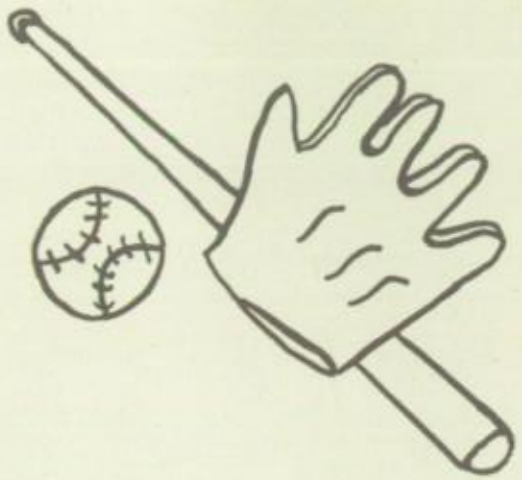
STANDING: Left to right-P. Overdorff, V. D. Spare, W. Kisamore, V. Heming, L. Boring, D. Ludwig, J. Kim.
SEATED: Back-P. Atkins, S. Heap, L. Keith, N. Flickinger. Extreme front-D. Henderson, B. Boring, J. Boring, J. Sigmund, G. Chesla, L. Martin, S. Igo.

SENIOR CLASS MEETINGS

MEETING WHEN TEACHER IS PRESENT

MEETING WHEN TEACHER IS ABSENT

ATHLETICS



The Squad

FIRST ROW: Left to right-Mr. Henderson, A. Keeler, D. Betton, J. Cartarella, D. Bennett, C. Swank, P. Lear, G. Bennett, C. Heming, Manager-J. Pribelsky.

SECOND ROW: A. Younkin, T. Fabrizio, D. Galbraith, J. Brentlinger, R. Wineland, B. Merritt, B. Cable, Manager-H. Galbraith.

THIRD ROW: Coach-Mr. Davis, J. Henderson, G. McIntyre, P. Wallace, N. Heming, H. Boring, D. Brentlinger, R. Robinson, J. Hall.

Senior Stars

DOUG GALBRAITH

JAY BRENTLINGER

1950 RESULTS

New Florence - - - - - 13	Ferndale "B" - - - - - 0
New Florence - - - - - - 0	Dale - - - - - - - - 39
New Florence - - - - - 13	Ferndale "B" - - - - - 7
New Florence - - - - - 0	Black Lick - - - - - - 26
New Florence - - - - - 0	Commodore - - - - - - 0
New Florence - - - - - 6	Armagh - - - - - - - 19
New Florence - - - - - 6	Replogle - - - - - - - 26
New Florence - - - - - 0	Stoystown - - - - - - 20
New Florence - - - - - 0	Montgomery Twp. - - - 14

GEORGE McINTYRE

DON BENNETT

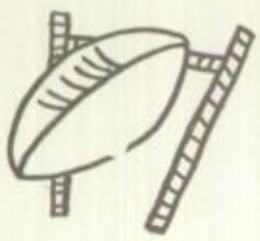
Football Summary

NEW FLORENCE vs. FERNDALE "B"

The New Florence Wolverines won their opening game of the season from Ferndale "B" by a 13-0 margin. Both touchdowns came as a result of passes from Cooke to Wineland. Galbraith plunged for the extra point after the first touchdown.

NEW FLORENCE vs. DALE

The purple Raiders from Dale defeated New Florence 39-0. Dale took advantage of two Wolverine fumbles and three intercepted passes to set up five of its scores.

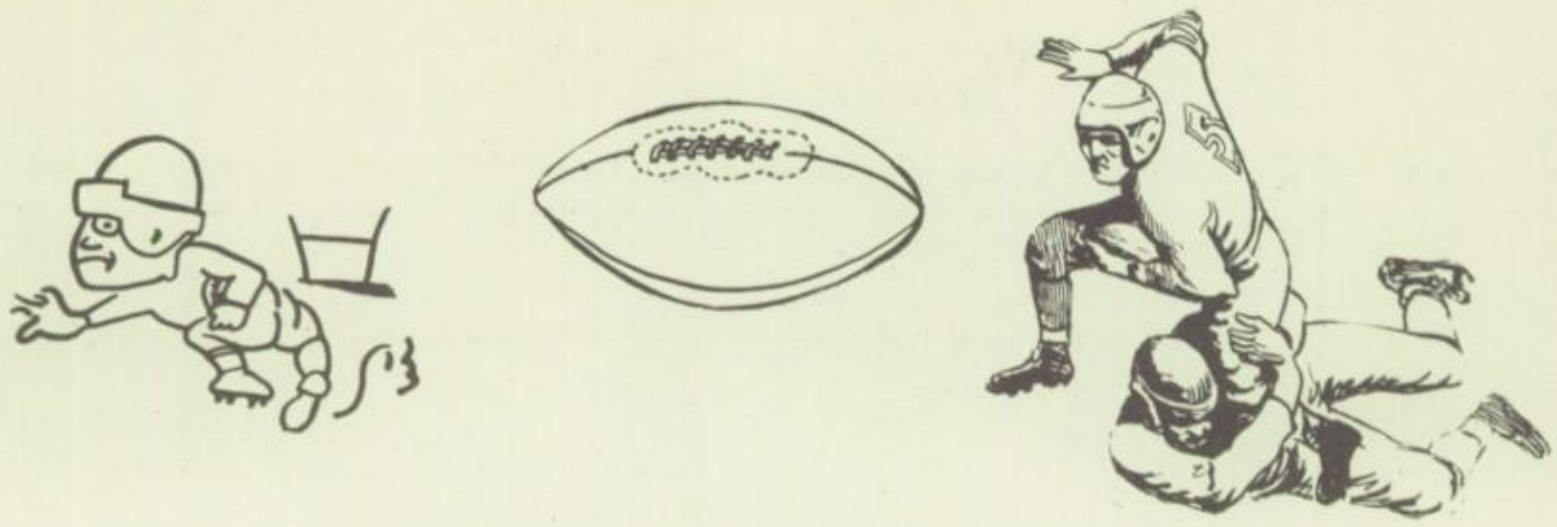


NEW FLORENCE vs. FERNDALE RESERVES

The Wolverines won their second game of the season by downing the Ferndale Reserves 13-7. Both Wolverine scores came on reverses by Keeler.

NEW FLORENCE vs. BLACK LICK

Black Lick handed New Florence their second defeat by a 26-0 score. Black Lick drove for two scores in the first quarter and led 14-0 at the half. In the final quarter Black Lick capitalized on two intercepted passes to even the game 26-0.



NEW FLORENCE vs. COMMODORE

The New Florence Wolverines and Commodore fought to a 0-0 tie on the Wolverines' home field. Neither team made any serious threats, but the Wolverines were within Commodore's twenty yard line twice.

NEW FLORENCE vs. ARMAGH

Armagh scored in each of the last three quarters to defeat New Florence 19-6. Bob Lynch, Chuck Bealunis, and Joe Lyck scored for Armagh while Allen Keeler picked up New Florence's lone score in the third frame.

NEW FLORENCE vs. REPLOGLE

Replogle defeated the Wolverines 26-6 by scoring once in each quarter. Imler scored twice for Replogle while Rice and Detwiler each scored once. New Florence's only score came in the third quarter.

NEW FLORENCE vs. STOYSTOWN

Rodgers scored the first touchdown and passed to Suder for the second score. Bob Naugle intercepted a pass and raced twenty-two yards for the final score. The Wolverines held a 10-9 edge in first downs.

NEW FLORENCE vs. MONTGOMERY TWP.

Montgomery Township finished the season undefeated by downing New Florence 14-0. Montgomery Twp. scored once in each of the third and fourth quarters. It was a well fought game but the Wolverines could not capitalize on the few breaks they received.

School Calendar

September	5	School opens and what a beautiful day!
	15	New Florence won the opening game of the season from Ferndale "B" 13-0.
	20	Dale downs New Florence 39-0.
	22	Moved to the new building. Everybody felt lost but happy. What beautiful rooms.
October	6	Blacklick Twp. defeats New Florence 26-0.
	9	P. T. A. meeting at E. U. B. Church. Our teachers honored. Girls sang.
	10	P. S. E. A. meeting (Section 5) at Brenizer Hotel, Ligonier.
	12	Group pictures were taken for the yearbook. Everyone looked so nice.
	13	Open House at new school building from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Many visitors. Home Ec. girls served refreshments.
	13	Nurse talked to Junior and Senior girls.
	13	Pep Meeting.
	13	Mr. Cox talked to the Sophomores and Juniors about the magazine campaign.
	13	Football issue of the Keynoter.
	14	New Florence and Commodore tie 0-0 at Commodore.
	16	End of first six weeks.
	16	Mr. Crookshank from Walsworth Brothers came to discuss plans for 1951 Laurel.
	16	Cover visited us.
	18	Working on the road in front of the school building. What noise.
	19	Forensic Amateur Show. Rita won first prize.
	19	Report cards came out. Oh! Someone had an F.
	21	Armagh defeated New Florence 19-6. Tough game to lose.
	27	Replogle defeated New Florence 26-6.
	30	Magazine campaign ended. Sophomores won. Joann Galbraith was star salesman with $69.50.
	31	Mrs. Super returned to teach but her health did not permit her to continue.
November	1	First day of hunting. Whoopee! I wonder who had a dear.
	2	Stoystown defeats New Florence 20-0.
	3	Montgomery Twp. downed New Florence 14-0.
	7	Forensic members attend a tournament at Greensburg.
	9-10	Teachers Institute at Greensburg High School.
	13	P. T. A. meeting.
	14	Forensic members went to Derry Twp.
	15	Seniors received their proofs and oh the "me's and my's."
	18	Forensic bake sale at Trimble's Store.
	20	Juniors received their rings. Didn't you see everybody looking at them?
	23	Thanksgiving Day issue of the Keynoter.
	23-24	Thanksgiving vacation. What a relief for all sleepy heads.

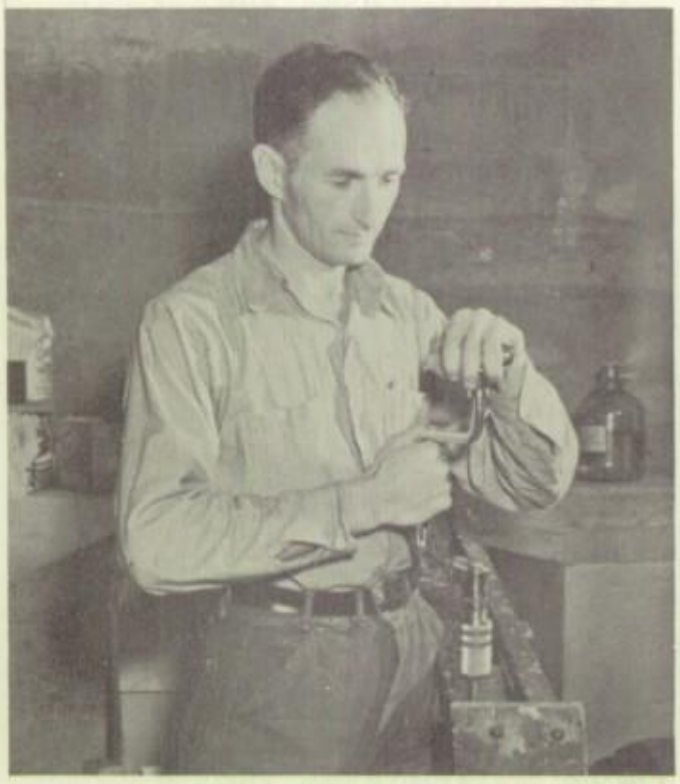
November	27-28	School was closed because of the deep and drifting snow.
	28	Football banquet to honor squad held in Methodist Church basement. The ladies prepared a delicious meal.
December	7-8	Seniors presented their play, "The Daffy Dills." We never knew they had so much talent.
	22	Christmas issue of the Keynoter.
	22	Sophomore Assembly. Very beautiful stage.
	22	Seniors received their pictures.
	22	Christmas vacation started.
	30	Senior party at Mrs. Montgomery's home.
January	2	School opens again with no noise. Everyone is too sleepy.
	5	Sophomores had ice cream party. No one became ill.
	8	P. T. A. meeting.
	15	Forensic tournament at Derry Twp. High School.
	19	Varsity dance.
	23	New bell in operation in the school building.
	24	First semester ends.
	26	Sophomore skating party at Skateland. What happened to Duane, Natalie, and Nancy? They didn't make it to school on Monday.
	27	Senior bake sale. Nice profit.
February	5	Forensic members participate in tournament at Blaisville.
	9	Valentine's Day issue of the Keynoter.
March	3	Forensic bake sale.
	5	Senior supper at Legion Hall.
	6	Junior play, "Here Come The Brides."
	16	Junior skating party.
	22	Easter issue of the Keynoter.
	23	Good Friday. No school.
	30	Junior skating party.
April	7	Junior bake sale.
	12	P. S. E. A. meeting of Section 5 at New Florence Methodist Church.
	13	Junior skating party.
	20	Senior Variety Show.
	27	Junior skating party.
May	4	Junior-Senior Prom. What beautiful lads and lassies New Florence has.
	15-18	Seniors tour Washington, D. C. This trip will always linger in their memories.
	25	Class night.
	27	Baccalaureate at Methodist Church.
	29	Idlewild picnic.
	29	Graduation issue of Keynoter.
	29	Commencement at Methodist Church.
June	1	Last day of school.

MR. MICHAEL SUPER

At the beginning of the 1950-51 school term, Mr. Super assumed his duties as Supervising Principal of the New Florence Public Schools. His patience and ready help have won our admiration. He teaches Biology and Chemistry, but he claims that he would rather teach Mathematics. He likes to spend his spare moments, as he puts it, "Puttering around." His "first" in sports is football.

OUR LIBRARIANS

Each high school home room has its own librarian. Shirley Heap and Evelyn Cushman are seated. Standing are Betty Heap and Sally Graffius. The girls willingly volunteered to serve in this capacity. Each girls works one day per week. Our library has been in excellent hands this year and the handling of books and reference material has been very efficient.



MR. WILLIAM SIMPSON

The student body gives Bill a vote of thanks for all the extra work and many favors he has done for them. If heat is a must at the Town Hall, the steam is immediately turned on. If a teacher's supplies run low, he soon has the necessary materials on her desk. If the outside steps are icy, he scatters salt at once to save our necks. Bill's favorite sports are football and hunting.

Snapshots

LOOK MOTHER NO HANDS

BATTER UP

M-O-T-H-E-R

HAPPY GANG

CUTE BOYS?

PLAY PRACTICE????

SMILE

WHO'S BOSS??

ATLAS

BETTER NOT

AW! GIRLS

TEACHER

COME ON BOYS

THAT'S A SMILE?

POOR MOM

SCHOOL CHUMS

HERE IT COMES

HOW CUTE

1-2-3-4 (OH!)

ONE GIRL (LUCKY)

We, the Senior Class of 1951 of New Florence High, wish to thank the following people for their generous contributions which helped to make this edition of THE LAUREL a success.

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Trimble's Store

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard G. Wagner

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Cloyd L. Graff

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Kate Roth

Reverend and Mrs. J. M. Somers

A Friend

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Trexler

Mr. and Mrs. Russell St. Clair

A Friend

Mrs. Pearl Montgomery

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ridilla

Charles Pribelsky

Shannon Creek Park

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David Bennett
William Simpson
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Raymond A. Hepner
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Mr. and Mrs. Dale Henderson
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Mr. and Mrs. Evan Goodwin
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A Friend
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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dick
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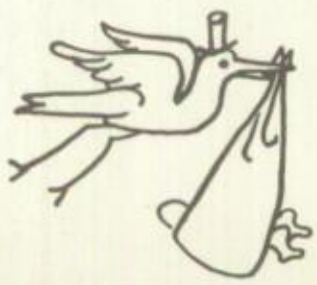

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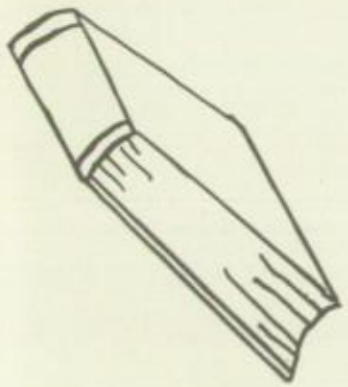

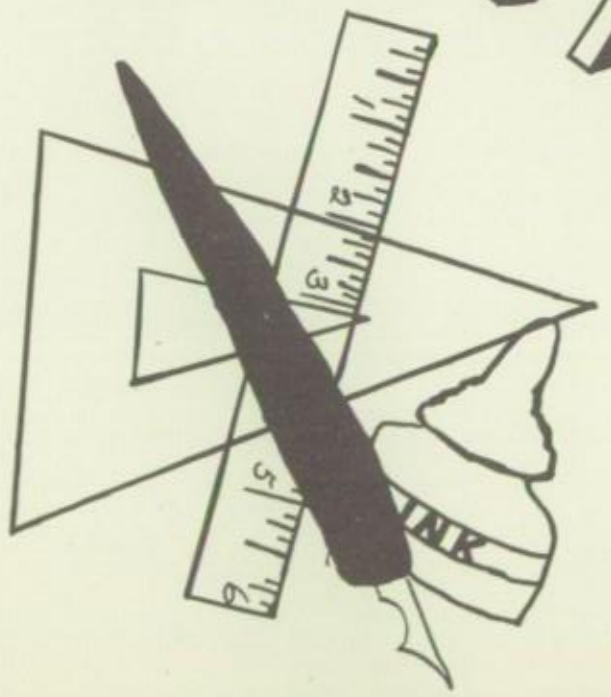

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